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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 3, 2002, the period for response to which having been extended to and including April 4, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 10 and 15 without prejudice or disclaimer of any of the subject matter contained therein.